



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Chief Administrative Officer

At its meeting held October 12, 2004, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“For the past several years, the winter shelter program has been operated by a nonprofit organization known as the Santa Clarita Community Development Corporation. The winter shelter program provides beds, hotel vouchers and case management services for the homeless population during the cold weather months of December 1st through March 15th. However, effective November 1, 2004, the shelter’s existing lease is scheduled to expire and the shelter does not have sufficient time to find an alternative location to operate the winter shelter program. According to a recent article, an estimated 10,000 people in Santa Clarita are at risk of becoming homeless, including women and children.”

Richard Robinson addressed the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Yaroslavsky, unanimously carried (Supervisor Knabe being absent), the Chief Administrative Officer and the Executive Director of the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority were directed to develop an immediate action plan, due to the closure of the winter shelter program operated by the Santa Clarita Community Development Corporation, to include a cost analysis that identifies alternative placements for the homeless population during the cold weather months and the use of motel vouchers for an extended period of time and a site to offer case management services.

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